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1. ON MARCH 25 DEPUTY PERMREP DISCUSSED WITH NAJMAN STATUS OF ICSEES APPLICATION FOR NGO AFFILIATION WITH UNESCO. ACCORDING TO NAJMAN, SECRETARIAT'S MAIN PROBLEM WITH SUBJECT APPLICATION IS THAT ICSEES DOES NOT FULLY MEET THE CONDITIONS PRESCRIBED IN DIRECTIVES CONCERNING UNESCO'S RELATIONS WITH NGO'S. ARTICLE I.L(B) OF DIRECTIVES REQUIRES THAT AN NGO SHOULD HAVE "... REGULAR MEMBERS IN A SUFFICIENTLY LARGE NUMBER AND VARIETY OF COUNTRIES TO PERMIT IT TO ACT, AS FAR AS POSSIBLE, AS A VALID REPRESENTATIVE OF DIFFERENT CULTURAL REGIONS OF THE WORLD." ACCORDING TO INFORMATION AVAILABLE HERE, ICSEES IS REPRESENTED ONLY IN SOME ELEVEN OR TWELVE MEMBER STATES OF UNESCO. MOREOVER, THE COUNTRIES WHICH ARE SUBJECT OF ICSEES'S CONCERN AND STUDY (I.E. EASTERN EUROPE AND USSR) DO NOT RPT NOT MAINTAIN MEMBERSHIP ON IT. THIS, WE BELIEVE,
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MAY BE THE MOST IMPORTANT OBSTACLE AND ONE THAT CANNOT BE TOO EASILY DISMISSED.

2. NEVERTHELESS, DEPUTY PERMREP REVIEWED TO NAJMAN HISTORY OF SEVERAL OTHER NGO'S WHOSE MEMBERSHIP WAS AND STILL IS RATHER LIMITED BUT WHICH WERE ADMITTED TO "MUTUAL INFORMATION RELATIONSHIP" (CATEGORY C) WITH

UNESCO. NAJMAN TOOK OUR ARGUMENTS UNDER ADVISEMENT
AND PROMISED TO ONCE AGAIN REVIEW THE ICSEES'S APPLI-
CATION BEFORE MAKING CPX FINAL RECOMMENDATION TO
THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL.

3. PERMDEL WILL KEEP DEPARTMENT INFORMED RE
FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS IN THIS MATTER.
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